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Education

University of California-Berkeley Ph.D.

2020; Berkeley, CA

Soil Biogeochemistry

1999; Amherst, MA

Hampshire College B.A. Environmental Science

Academic Positions

April 27, 2020-present	Postdoctoral Associate	University of Minnesota-Twin Cities
2013-2020	Graduate Student	University of California-Berkeley
2014, 2018, 2019	Research Assistant	University of California-Berkeley
2014-2016	Teaching Assistant	University of California-Berkeley
1998-1999	Scientist/Technical	Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory

Peer-reviewed Publications

- 8. Schuler, C. S., A. Patsis, S. C. Alexander, D. Hsu, W. S. Dowd, W. Lee, S. L. Matzen, M. A. Marcus, C. S. Sheik, J. McDermott, P. K. Kang, C. M. Santelli, B. M. Toner. 2024. Densely populated biofilms and linked iron and sulfur cycles in the fractured-rock continental subsurface. *Geochimica et Cosmochimica Acta* 375:229-246.
- 7. Baker, I., S. L. Matzen, C. S. Schuler, B. M. Toner, P. R. Girguis. 2023. The chemical footprint of a non-stalk-forming iron-oxidizing bacterium impedes abiotic iron oxidation. *PNAS Nexus* 1:1-10.
- 6. Matzen, S. L., C. E. Pallud. 2023. Critical perspectives on soil chemical properties limiting arsenic phytoextraction with hyperaccumulator *Pteris vittata*. *Geosciences* 13: 1-24.
- 5. Matzen, S. L., A. Olson, C. E. Pallud. 2022. Soil texture and climate limit cultivation of the arsenic hyperaccumulator *Pteris vittata* for phytoextraction in a long-term field study. *Journal of Hazardous Materials* 436:129151.
- 4. Matzen, S. L., G. Lobo, S. Fakra, A. Kakouridis, P. S. Nico, C. E. Pallud. 2022. Arsenic hyperaccumulator *Pteris vittata* shows reduced biomass in soils with high arsenic and low nutrient availability, leading to increased arsenic leaching from soil. *Science of the Total Environment* 818:151803.
- 3. Matzen, S. L., J. E. Arnold, R. Bennaton, C. E. Pallud. 2021. Safer soils: A step-by-step guide to soil sampling for urban food growers. *UC Agriculture and Natural Resources (accepted, in press)*.
- 2. Matzen, S. L., S. Fakra, P. S. Nico, C. E. Pallud. 2020. *Pteris vittata* arsenic accumulation only partially explains soil arsenic depletion during field-scale phytoextraction. *Soil Systems* 4: 1-20.
- 1. Matzen, S. L., J. M. Beiriger, P. C. Torretto, P. Zhao, B. E. Viani. 2000. Uranium(VI) and neptunium(V) transport through fractured, hydrothermally altered concrete. *Radiochimica Acta* 88: 657-664.

In preparation

1. Matzen, S. L., Z. Steiner, B. Stewart, C. Schuler, J. Fitzsimmons, E. Achterberg, C. R. German, B. M. Toner. Suspension of nanoparticulate iron oxyhydroxides in carbon matrices in the Rainbow hydrothermal plume, Mid Atlantic Ridge. To be submitted to *Geochemica et Cosmochemica Acta*, October 2024.

(In press, submitted, and in preparation manuscripts available upon request)

Recognition	
Honors	
Clay Minerals Society Reynolds Award University of California-Berkeley Chancellor's Award for Public Service – Civic Engagement	2018 2017
by a Graduate Student	
Fellowships (total \$191,378)	
Berkeley Connect Fellowship	2018-2019
The James P. Bennett Agricultural Fund Scholarship, Professor Earl Storie	
Memorial Scholarship, and Warren R. and Josephine K. Harding Graduate Student Fund	
University of California Global Food Initiative Fellowship	2015, 2016
National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship	
Hampshire College Harold F. Johnson Scholarship	1995-1999

Presentations

Presenting authors are listed in bold.

Invited Talks

- **13. Matzen, S.** 2024. Applying STXM in multi-modal environmental science investigations: From sample preparation to publication. Invited talk. National Synchrotron Light Source-II User Meeting. May 17, 2024, Virtual workshop.
- **12. Matzen, S.** 2023. Speciation of particulate iron in hydrothermal plumes with varying sulfur content. Invited Talk. Department of Oceanography, Texas A&M University. December 4, 2023, College Station, TX.
- **11. Matzen, S.** Z. Steiner, L. Klose, T. Ely, J. Fitzsimmons, A. Kochinsky-Fritsche, E. Achterberg, C. R. German, B. M. Toner. 2023. Microscopy helps reveal how iron from deep sea hydrothermal vents feeds carbon-fixing phytoplankton in surface waters. Invited talk. Minnesota Microscopy Society Annual Meeting, University of Minnesota. May 5, 2023, Chaska, MN.
- **10. Matzen, S.** 2023. Biogeochemical cycling of trace elements from urban agricultural soils to extraterrestrial ocean worlds. Invited talk. Geochemistry and BPE Seminars. Lamont-Doherty Earth Observatory, Columbia University. April 12, 2023, Palisades, NY.

- **9. Matzen, S.** 2022. Biogeochemical cycling of trace elements from urban agricultural soils to deep ocean waters. Invited talk. Department of Soil and Crop Sciences, Texas A&M University. September 7, 2022, College Station, TX.
- **8.** Matzen, S. 2021. Phytoremediation of arsenic in urban agricultural soils. Invited talk. Department of Soil, Water, and Climate, University of Minnesota. November 17, 2021, Saint Paul, MN.
- **7. Matzen, S.** 2021. Microscale metal(loid) speciation informs bulk transport in soil/water/plant systems. Invited talk. Earth Science Research at the ALS: Present and Future. July 16, 2021, Virtual workshop.
- **6. Pallud, C.**, S. Matzen, S. Fakra, P. S. Nico. Phytoextraction with *Pteris vittata* leads to increased arsenic leaching in soil. Invited talk. Goldschmidt Conference, July 5-12, 2021, Virtual conference.
- **5. Matzen, S.** 2021. Tender X-ray spectromicroscopy to study contaminant mobility in rhizosphere soils. Invited talk. Advanced Light Source TENDER Nanoprobe Workshop. March 18, 2021, Virtual workshop.
- **4. Matzen, S.** 2019. Invited Panelist. Queering science: Rethinking biology, sex, and environment. With Erin Giglio, Ambika Kamath, Max Lambert, Caitlin McDonough, and Julia Monk. Queer Ecologies | Feminist Biologies, UC Berkeley Social Science Matrix, November 5, 2019, Berkeley, CA.
- **3. Matzen, S.,** Olson, A., Pallud, C. 2016. Plant-based remediation of arsenic-contaminated soil: Successes and challenges. Invited talk. Research Institute for Humanity and Nature, July 1, 2016, Kyoto, Japan.
- **2.** Pallud, C., **S. Matzen,** A. Olson. 2015. Effects of soil texture on phytoremediation of arsenic-contaminated soils. Invited talk H41K-04. American Geophysical Union Annual Meeting, December 14-18, 2015, San Francisco, CA.
- **1. Matzen, S.** 2014. Broadening access to rural queer land, agriculture, and community living: anti-oppression approaches to the meandering path of change. Invited talk. Production to Picture to Personhood: Food, Representation, and Identity in Contemporary American Cultures Conference, October 9, 2014, Berkeley, CA.

Contributed Oral Presentations

- **21. Matzen, S.,** Z. Steiner, T. Ely, J. Breier, Jr., J. Fitzsimmons, E. Achterberg, C. R. German, B. M. Toner. Nanoparticulate iron oxyhydroxides in carbon matrices is a signature of hydrothermal vents regardless of plume chemistry. Oral presentation, Session 417, May 9, 2024, AbSciCon Conference, May 5-10, 2024, Providence, RI.
- **20.** Matzen, S., Z. Steiner, L. Klose, T. Ely, J. Fitzsimmons, A. Koschinsky, E. Achterberg, C. R. German, B. M. Toner. Nanoparticulate iron oxyhydroxides aggregated in carbon matrices dominate iron speciation in hydrothermal plumes over the 1-100 km distance from vent source. Oral presentation, Session 13d, July 14, 2023, Goldschmidt Conference, July 9-14, 2023, Lyon, France.
- **19. Matzen, S.,** Z. Steiner, C. Hoffman, L. Moore, R. Bundy, J. Resing, J. Fitzsimmons, E. Achterberg, C. R. German, B. M. Toner. Nanoparticulate iron oxyhydroxides dominate iron speciation in hydrothermal plumes over the 1-100 km distance from vent source. Oral presentation OS55B-07, scheduled for December 16, 2022, American Geophysical Union Annual Meeting, December 11-16, 2022, Chicago, IL.
- **18.** Ely, T., A. A. Wackett, S. L. Matzen, B. M. Toner. Why is pyrite always present in hydrothermal vent plumes? Oral presentation OS45D-1232, scheduled for December 15, 2022, American Geophysical Union Annual Meeting, December 11-16, 2022, Chicago, IL.

- **17. Matzen, S.,** S. Fakra, P. Nico, C. Pallud. Arsenic leaches from soil during phytoextraction with *Pteris vittata*. Oral presentation H22A-05, scheduled for December 13, 2022, American Geophysical Union Annual Meeting, December 11-16, 2022, Chicago, IL.
- **16. Matzen, S.,** Z. Steiner, C. Hoffman, L. Moore, R. Bundy, J. Resing, J. Fitzsimmons, E. Achterberg, C. R. German, B. M. Toner. 2022. Changes in hydrothermal plume iron speciation in the 1-100 km distance from the vent source. Oral presentation, Session 14cT1. Goldschmidt Conference, July 10-15, 2022, Honolulu, HI.
- **15. Toner, B.,** A. A. Wackett, B. R. Kamermans, S. L. Matzen, T. Ely, E. P. Achterberg, C. R. German. Characteristics of hydrothermally derived particles from globally distributed deep-sea vent fields. Oral presentation, Session 12dT2. Goldschmidt Conference, July 10-15, 2022, Honolulu, HI.
- **14. Matzen, S.,** M. Bramble, T. Ely, A. A. Wackett, M. Pacheco, C. R. German, A. Gartman, K. Hand, B. M. Toner. 2022. Pyrite nanoparticles as biogeochemical tracers of hydrothermal activity on icy ocean moons. Oral presentation 212-04. AbSciCon Astrobiology Science Conference, May 15-20, 2022, Atlanta, GA.
- **13. Toner, B.,** S. Matzen, B. Kamermans, A. A. Wackett, T. Ely, C. R. German, E. P. Achterberg. 2022. Characteristics of hydrothermally derived particles from globally distributed deep-sea vent fields in Earth's oceans. Oral presentation 126-06. AbSciCon Astrobiology Science Conference, May 15-20, 2022, Atlanta, GA.
- **12. Matzen, S.,** S. Fakra, P. Nico, C. Pallud. 2022. Soil characteristics, fern growth, and transpiration affect soil arsenic leaching during phytoextraction with *Pteris vittata*. Oral presentation, Session GEOC025. American Chemical Society, March 20-24, 2022, San Diego, CA.
- **11. Matzen, S.,** M. Pacheco, T. Ely, A. A. Wackett, A. Gartman, C. R. German, B. M. Toner. 2022. Constraining effects of ocean chemistry on nanopyrite chemical and morphological evolution in order to predict long-range iron transport. Oral presentation, Session GEOC001. American Chemical Society, March 20-24, 2022, San Diego, CA.
- **10. Matzen, S.,** T. Ely, A. A. Wackett, A. Gartman, C. R. German, B. M. Toner. 2021. Effects of ocean chemistry on chemical and morphological evolution of iron sulfide nanoparticles. Oral presentation, Session 8c. Goldschmidt Conference, July 5-12, 2021, Virtual conference.
- **9. Matzen, S. L.,** J. E. Arnold, R. Bennaton, C. E. Pallud. 2021. Growing food safely in urban soils: A harm reduction approach. Oral presentation. Agroecological City Conference, March 10, 2021, Virtual conference.
- **8. Matzen, S.,** S. Fakra, C. Pallud. 2019. Arsenic transport in the rhizosphere of *Pteris vittata*, an arsenic-hyperaccumulating fern. Oral presentation 54-4. Soil Science Society of America Annual Meeting, January 6-9, 2019, San Diego, CA.
- **7. Matzen, S.,** C. Pallud. 2018. Arsenic mobilization in the rhizosphere of *Pteris vittata*, an arsenic-hyperaccumulating fern. Oral presentation, Session 13k. Goldschmidt Conference, August 12-17, 2018, Boston, MA.
- **6. Matzen, S.,** Olson, A., Pallud, C. 2017. Arsenic uptake in the hyperaccumulating fern *Pteris vittata* from soils contaminated with pyrite cinders. Oral presentation 339-9. Soil Science Society of America Annual Meeting, October 22-25, 2017, Tampa, FL.

- **5. Matzen, S.,** C. Pallud. 2017. Optimizing arsenic phytoextraction from pyrite cinders using a hyperaccumulating fern. Oral presentation, Session 13a. Goldschmidt Conference, August 13-18, 2017, Paris, France.
- **4. Matzen, S.,** Olson, A., Pallud, C. 2016. Effect of soil texture and fertilization on arsenic phytoextraction with the hyperaccumulating fern *Pteris vittata* under field conditions. Oral presentation 385-6. Soil Science Society of America Annual Meeting, November 6-9, 2016, Phoenix, AZ.
- **3. Matzen, S.,** A. Olson, C. Pallud. 2015. Effects of fertilizer on arsenic accumulation in a hyperaccumulating fern: A two year phytoremediation field study. Oral presentation 199-12. Soil Science Society of America Annual Meeting, November 16-19, 2015, Minneapolis, MN.
- **2. Matzen, S.,** A. Olson, C. Pallud. 2015. Optimizing arsenic phytoextraction from an urban brownfield: A two year field study. Oral presentation 2057. Goldschmidt Conference, August 16-21, 2015, Prague, Czech Republic.
- **1. Matzen, S.,** Olson, A., Pallud, C. 2015. Towards sustainable remediation of arsenic-contaminated soils. Annual Meeting, Long-term Sustainability through Place-Based, Small-scale Economies: Approaches from Historical Ecology. Research Institute for Humanity and Nature, Kyoto, Japan.

Contributed and Invited Poster Presentations

- **18.** Toner, B. M., **S. Matzen,** M. Bramble, T. Ely, A. A. Wackett, M. Pacheco, Z. Gainsforth, A. Gartman, C. R. German, K. P. Hand. Iron nanoparticles as biogeochemical tracers of hydrothermal activity on icy ocean worlds: Effects of Europa surface-like radiation on particulate chemistry and morphology. Poster presentation 221-100. May 7, 2024, AbSciCon Conference, May 5-10, 2024, Providence, RI.
- **17. Matzen, S.,** S. Fakra, P. Nico, C. Pallud. 2022. Soil characteristics, fern growth, and transpiration affect soil arsenic leaching during phytoextraction with *Pteris vittata*. Invited poster presentation, Sci-Mix. American Chemical Society, March 20-24, 2022, San Diego, CA.
- **16. Matzen, S.,** M. Pacheco, T. Ely, A. A. Wackett, A. Gartman, C. R. German, B. M. Toner. Pyrite nanoparticles as biogeochemical tracers: Constraining the effects of ocean chemistry on particle chemical and morphological evolution. Poster presentation P35C-2146. American Geophysical Union Annual Meeting, December 12-17, 2021, New Orleans, LA.
- **15. Matzen, S.,** S. Fakra, P. Nico, C. Pallud. 2021. Arsenic phytoextraction: Mixed rhizosphere redox conditions suggest mechanisms for arsenic release for uptake and leaching. Poster presentation. Advanced Light Source User Meeting. August 11, 2021, Virtual meeting.
- **14. Matzen, S.,** A. Wackett, N. Jelinski, C. German, B. Toner. 2020. Iron nanoparticle oxidation and aggregation behavior informs the fate of hydrothermal iron exported to oceans on Earth and beyond. Poster presentation. American Geophysical Union Annual Meeting, December 1-17, 2020, Virtual Conference.
- **13. Matzen, S.,** J. Arnold, R. Brewer, R. Bennaton, J. Sowerwine, C. Pallud. 2020. Testing urban soils for lead: Community-based use of the incremental sampling method to increase data quality and accessibility. Poster presentation. American Geophysical Union Annual Meeting, December 1-17, 2020, Virtual Conference.
- **12. Matzen**, **S.**, S. Fakra, P. Nico, C. Pallud. 2019. An arsenic-hyperaccumulating fern mobilizes arsenic in rhizosphere soil through processes known to release phosphorus, and prefers a low phosphorus environment.

Poster presentation. American Geophysical Union Annual Meeting, December 9-13, 2019, San Francisco, CA.

- 11. Matzen, S., S. Fakra, P. Nico, C. Pallud. 2019. Arsenic speciation and transport in the rhizosphere of an arsenic-hyperaccumulating fern. Poster presentation. Rhizosphere 5 Conference, July 7-11, 2019, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, CA.
- **10. Matzen, S.,** S. Fakra, P. Nico, C. Pallud. 2018. Arsenic speciation in the rhizosphere of an arsenic-hyperaccumulating fern. Poster presentation. Advanced Light Source User Meeting, October 2-4, 2018, Berkeley, CA.
- **9. Khurram, A.,** Matzen, S., Setty, S., Fakra, S., Pallud, C. 2017. Effects of soil texture and flow rate on leaching of arsenic from historically contaminated sites. Poster presentation. AGU Pathfinder 2017 Fall Virtual Poster Showcase. October 25, 2017. *Awarded third place overall in Undergraduate Showcase*.
- **8. Matzen, S.,** A. Olson, C. Pallud. 2016. Effects of soil texture and soil fertilization on arsenic phytoextraction. Poster presentation 212. Goldschmidt Conference, June 26-July 1, 2016, Yokohama, Japan.
- **7. Matzen, S.,** A. Olson, C. Pallud. 2014. Optimizing arsenic phytoremediation: Effects of fertilizer on brake fern arsenic uptake and biomass production in heterogeneous field conditions. Poster presentation 334-42. Soil Science Society of America Annual Meeting, November 2-5, 2014, Long Beach, CA.
- **6. Matzen, S.,** A. Olson, C. Pallud. 2014. Improving arsenic phytoremediation efficiency under heterogeneous field conditions: Effects of fertilizer on brake fern arsenic accumulation and biomass production. Poster presentation 27. Complex Soil Systems Conference, September 3-5, 2014, Berkeley, CA.
- **5. Matzen, S.,** A. Olson, C. Pallud. 2014. Optimizing arsenic phytoremediation with the brake fern, *Pteris vittata*: Effects of fertilization on biomass production and contaminant removal. Poster presentation 6. Soil in the City Conference, June 29-July 2, 2014, Chicago, IL.
- **4. Matzen, S.,** A. Olson, C. Pallud. 2014. Optimizing arsenic uptake by a hyperaccumulating fern through fertilizer use. Poster presentation 283. Goldschmidt Conference, June 8-13, 2014, Sacramento, CA.
- **3. Matzen, S.,** A. Olson, C. Pallud. 2014. Can Brake Ferns (*Pteris vittata*) Efficiently Remediate Urban Soils Contaminated with Arsenic? Optimizing Phytoremediation through Fertilizer Use. Poster presentation 16. Soil's Role in Restoring Ecosystem Services Conference, March 6-9, 2014, Sacramento, CA.
- **2. Matzen, S.L.,** P.C. Torretto, P. Zhao, B.E. Viani. 1999. Experimental Investigation of Radionuclide Transport through Fractured, Hydrothermally Altered Concrete. Poster presentation PB1-28. 7th International Conference on the Chemistry and Migration Behaviour of Actinides and Fission Products in the Geosphere, September 26 October 1,1999, Lake Tahoe, NV.
- **1. Matzen, S.L.,** P.C. Torretto, P. Zhao, B.E. Viani. 1998. Radionuclide Transport through Fractured, Hydrothermally Altered Concrete. Poster presentation H32F-13. American Geophysical Union Annual Meeting, December 6-10, 1998, San Francisco, CA.

Details of invited seminars (3) available upon request.

Research Funding and Travel Awards

Clay Minerals Society Research Grant	\$6,000	2017, 2018
Phipps Conservatory Botany in Action Fellowship	\$15,000	2016, 2017, 2018
The Green Initiative Fund Spring Grant	\$18,100	2018
Chancellor's Community Partnership Fund	\$10,000	2017
Berkeley Collegium Narrowing the Gap Between Teaching and Research	\$19,950	2017
Grant		
Sigma Xi Grant in Aid of Research	\$1,000	2017
The Green Initiative Fund Mini-Grant	\$1,999	2017
Chancellor's Advisory Committee on Sustainability Innovation Grant	\$1,000	2015
Environmental Science, Policy, and Management Extra Summer Grant	\$750	2015
Environmental Science, Policy, and Management Starter Grant	\$1,250	2013

Professional Development and Travel/Conference awards (12 awards totaling \$8,024)

NASA SCoPE AGU SciAct Affiliate Award	\$1,671	2022
UMN Postdoctoral Association Career Development Award	\$500	2022
Goldschmidt Conference Registration Grant for NASA Funded I	Research \$235	2021
CFANS Professional Development Funds	\$1000	2020, 2021
Rhizosphere 5 Conference Student Travel Award	\$570	2019
Goldschmidt Conference Travel Award	\$400, \$1,250, \$1,250	2014, 2015, 2017
UC-Berkeley Graduate Division Conference Travel Award	\$1,500	2016
UC-Berkeley Environmental Science, Policy, and Management	Travel Grant \$794	2016
UC-Berkeley Graduate Division Travel Award	\$525	2014
UC-Berkeley Graduate Assembly Travel Award	\$300	2014
North Carolina Natural Resource Conservation Workshop Schol	arship \$200	1995

National Lab User Time (internationally competitive)

- **8. National Synchrotron Light Source II (NSLS-II)** general user proposal. Matzen, S. L., B. M. Toner. 2022. Dust on Europa's ice shell as a biogeochemical tracer of life-conducive conditions on the ocean floor. Beamlines: XFM (X-ray Fluorescence Microprobe) and QAS (X-ray Absorption Spectroscopy). Awarded 6.75 days (20.25 shifts).
- **7. Advanced Light Source (ALS)** general user proposal. Matzen, S. L., B. M. Toner. 2021. Role of ironbearing colloids in delivery of limiting nutrients from the seafloor to carbon-fixing phytoplankton. Beamlines: COSMIC (Ptychography) and 5.3.2.2 (Scanning Transmission X-ray Microscopy). Awarded 26.3 days (79 shifts).
- **6. National Synchrotron Light Source II (NSLS-II)** general user proposal. Matzen, S. L., B. M. Toner. 2021. Local to global: Processes determining export of iron from deep-sea hydrothermal vents to carbon-fixing phytoplankton. Beamlines: XFM (X-ray Fluorescence Microprobe) and QAS (X-ray Absorption Spectroscopy). Awarded 13.7 days (41 shifts).
- **5.** Advanced Light Source (ALS) rapid access proposal. Matzen, S. L., C. E. Pallud, P. S. Nico. 2019. Arsenic mobilization in the rhizosphere of arsenic hyperaccumulator *Pteris vittata*. Beamline: 10.3.2 (X-ray Fluorescence Microprobe). Awarded 1 day (3 shifts).
- **4.** Advanced Light Source (ALS) general user proposal. Matzen, S. L., C. E. Pallud, P. S. Nico. 2017-2019. Imaging arsenic gradients in the rhizosphere of *Pteris vittata*, an arsenic-hyperaccumulating fern. Beamline: 10.3.2 (X-ray Fluorescence Microprobe). Awarded 9.6 days (29 shifts).

- **3.** Advanced Light Source (ALS) rapid access proposal. Matzen, S. L., C. E. Pallud, P. S. Nico. 2017. Imaging arsenic gradients in the rhizosphere of *Pteris vittata*, an arsenic-hyperaccumulating fern. Beamline: 10.3.2 (X-ray Fluorescence Microprobe). Awarded 1 day (3 shifts).
- **2. Stanford Synchrotron Radiation Laboratory (SSRL)** user proposal. Matzen, S. L., C. E. Pallud, P. S. Nico. 2016-2019. Arsenic speciation and bioavailability in soils remediated with the arsenic-hyperaccumulating fern, *Pteris vittata*. Beamline: 7-3 (X-ray Absorption Spectroscopy). Awarded 14.9 days (44.7 shifts).
- **1. Stanford Synchrotron Radiation Laboratory (SSRL)** user proposal. Matzen, S. L., C. E. Pallud, P. S. Nico. 2016. Characterizing arsenic bioavailability in fine- and coarse-textured urban agricultural soils. Beamline: 11-3 (X-ray Diffraction). Awarded 16 hours (2 shifts).

Teaching Experience

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Instructor of Record, University of Minnesota-Twin Cities ESPM 4601: Environmental Pollution (online undergraduate/graduate course; ~25 students)	2020
Sustainable Soils Research Incubator, University of California-Berkeley	2017-2018
Designed and taught 4-semester Special Field Methods course to increase support for underrepresented students in environmental sciences (12 undergraduates). Final project module featured on Berkeley Center for Teaching and Learning webpage.	
Graduate Student Instructor, University of California-Berkeley	2016
ESPM 131: Soil Microbial Ecology (in-person undergraduate/graduate course; ~40 students)	
Graduate Student Instructor, University of California-Berkeley	2014, 2015

Guest Lectures

ESPM 117: Urban Garden Ecosystems (in-person undergraduate/graduate field course;

~80 students/year)

- **8. Matzen, S.** 2022. Safer soils for urban food growers. Guest Lecture, FDSY 1016W Growing Food & Building Community: Urban Agriculture in the Twin Cities, November 16, 2022. Sustainable Agriculture and Food Systems, University of Minnesota.
- **7. Matzen, S.** and Toner, B. 2022. Ecology of deep-sea hydrothermal vents. Guest Lecture, FW 2003 Introduction to Marine Biology, April 15, 2022. Department of Fisheries, Wildlife and Conservation Biology, University of Minnesota.
- **6. Matzen, S.** 2018. Arsenic and selenium. Guest Lecture, ESPM 131 Soil Microbial Ecology, April 2, 2018. Environmental Science, Policy and Management Department, UC Berkeley.
- **5. Matzen, S.** 2015, 2016, and 2018. Land degradation: A dry subject? Guest Lecture, GEO 137 Global Environmental Problems, February 19, 2015, January 28, 2016, and January 23, 2018. Geography Department, UC Berkeley.
- **4. Matzen, S.** 2017. Dealing with urban soil contamination. Guest Lecture, ESPM 117 Urban Garden Ecosystems, September 19, 2017. Environmental Science, Policy and Management Department, UC Berkeley.

- **3. Matzen, S.** and Pallud, C. 2017. Introduction to ecologically based soil fertility management. Guest Lecture, ESPM 118 Agroecology. Environmental Science, Policy and Management Department, UC Berkeley.
- **2.** Matzen, S. and Olson, A. 2013, 2014, and 2015. Towards sustainable remediation of arsenic contaminated soils. Guest Lecture, ESPM 24 Soil Pollution and Remediation Freshman Seminar, November 20, 2013, November 14, 2014, and December 2, 2015. Environmental Science, Policy and Management Department, UC Berkeley.
- **1. Matzen, S.** 2014. Soil contamination and remediation. Guest Lecture, ESPM 120 Soil Characteristics, December 3, 2014. Environmental Science, Policy and Management Department, UC Berkeley.

Professional Training	
EXAFS 2020 - SSRL Summer School on Synchrotron X-Ray Absorption Spectroscopy	2020
(September 8-10, 2020, remote)	
Emphasis on EXAFS data analysis.	
ALS User Meeting Tutorials (August 27-28, 2020, remote)	2020
STXM data collection and analysis, microprobe use for environmental samples.	
Solute Imaging Summer School 2019: High-resolution chemical imaging of solutes in	2019
soils and sediments (September 12-17, 2019, BOKU, Tulln, Austria)	
Multi-increment Soil Sampling and Analysis Training (October 30-November 1, 2017, US	2017
EPA Wilcox Superfund Site, Bristow, OK)	
Worked with Deanna Crumbling (US EPA ret.) and Matthew Johnson (US EPA) to learn	
and apply the multi-increment soil sampling method and portable X-ray fluorescence	
analysis to analyze soils for lead (Pb) during field sampling campaign.	
EXAFS 2016 - SSRL Summer School on Synchrotron X-Ray Absorption Spectroscopy	2016
(July 18-22, 2016, Menlo Park, CA)	
Emphasis on sample preparation and data collection.	

Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion	
Department of Soil, Water, and Climate Anti-Racism Advisory Board organizer,	2020-2023
University of Minnesota-Twin Cities	
Working to amplify BIPOC leadership in department anti-racism efforts	
College of Food, Agriculture, and Natural Resources DEI Strategic Planning	2021
Committee, University of Minnesota-Twin Cities	
Developed strategic plan to increase diversity, equity, and inclusion in College in	
response to climate survey	
Decolonization Roundtable: The History of the Morrill Act: Focus on Minnesota,	2020
University of Minnesota-Twin Cities	
Attended and participated in document review to track indigenous lands used to	
build wealth of University of Minnesota (November 2020)	
Toner Group DEI Discussions, University of Minnesota-Twin Cities	2020-present
Facilitated group discussions on DEI goals, presented on DEI literature (Jul 2020,	•
Sep 2020, Nov 2022, on-going as needed)	
Living Our Values Working Group member, University of Minnesota-Twin Cities	2020
Supported department in responding to anti-Black police violence (July-August	
2020)	
Environmental Science, Policy, and Management Graduate Diversity Council,	2013-2020
University of California-Berkeley	

Supported recruitment and retention of faculty from underrepresented groups (active member 2013-2015)

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Mentoring	
Goldschmidt Conference Mentor Mentored 3 early career attendees.	2022
Undergraduate Research Assistant Mentor, University of California-Berkeley Mentored 63 undergraduate research assistants, including 7 senior thesis students, in field, greenhouse, and laboratory research.	2013-2020
Berkeley Connect Mentor, University of California-Berkeley Mentored 80 undergraduates in 1-1 and small group meetings, focused on increasing sense of belonging for junior transfers and international students	2018-2019
Service and Outreach	
University Service (in addition to DEI service, above)	
Botany in Action Fellowship Review Committee, Phipps Conservatory, Pittsburgh, PA Postdoctoral Association Career Development Award Review Committee, University of Minnesota	2023-2024 2022
Just Food Podcast Episode 5, Healthy Soil in Richmond's Concrete Jungle, Berkeley Food Institute, University of California-Berkeley	2017
Building Sustainability Curriculum and Learning at Berkeley-Graduate Student Organizer, University of California-Berkeley	2016-2017
Organized year-long faculty program to support integration of sustainability concepts into courses in diverse disciplines	
Environmental Science, Policy, and Management Starter Grant Review Committee, University of California-Berkeley	2015
Professional Service	
Reviewer, NASA, NSF, Chemical Geology, Applied Soil Ecology, Plants Advanced Light Source Virtual Tutorial Organizer Earth & Environmental Science Applications of X-ray Spectromicroscopy for New Users (August 14, 2024)	2021-present 2024
Goldschmidt Conference Session Convener, Summer 2024 Meeting, Chicago, IL Session: A geochemical perspective toward environmental solutions (Co-conveners: Brandy Stewart and Case van Genuchten)	2023-2024
Advanced Light Source Microscopy Program Review Panel	2023
NASA Exploring Ocean Worlds Grant Executive Committee	2023
American Chemical Society Session Convener, Spring 2022 Meeting, San Diego, CA Session GEOC025: Contaminant Cycling in Natural and Built Environments within Urban and Industrial Areas	2021-2022
American Geophysical Union Outstanding Student Poster Award Judge	2021
Soil Science Society of America Webpage and Blog Post Worked with media team to revise community gardening webpage; submitted an invited	2017-2019
blog post on phytoremediation. Goldschmidt Conference Session Convener, Summer 2017 Meeting, Paris, France.	2017
Session 13a: Sustainable Soil Remediation: Biogeochemical Foundations and Innovative Approaches.	

Public Service and Outreach

East Philips Indoor Urban Farm Project, Minneapolis, MN	2020-present
Support environmental justice coalition working to replace emissions-heavy municipal	
development with indoor urban farm on arsenic-contaminated site. Interviewed for	
Hazzard, A. 2023. East Phillips residents unconvinced that Roof Depot demolition	
would be safe. Sahan Journal.	
Soil Sampling at Lower Phalen Creek Project, Saint Paul, MN	2022
Lead soil sampling in collaboration with Nic Jelinski (UMN) and University of	
Wisconsin – River Falls faculty and students to support indigenous-led sacred site	
preservation and habitat restoration project at a local brownfield.	
Moving South Berkeley Forward, Berkeley, CA	2017-present
In collaboration with Berkeley Community Gardening Collaborative, developed and	•
continue to support environmental science training program for youth of color where	
high school students (4 annually) are paired with UC Berkeley undergraduate mentors	
(2 annually) to conduct soil testing and neighborhood outreach.	
Urban Soil Sustainability PhD Research Blog hosted at www.sarickmatzen.com	2016-2020
Community Soil Lead Testing Workshops, El Sobrante and Berkeley, CA and virtual	2019-2021
Workshop series with University of California Cooperative Extension to train	
community members (80) to sample soil; provided free soil testing for lead (Pb) and	
recommendations for gardening in soil. Tested 25 sites.	
Santa Fe Right-of-Way Soil Remediation Project, Berkeley, CA	2013-2019
Worked with Berkeley Community Gardening Collaborative, Berkeley Partners for	
Parks, Spiral Gardens Community Food Security Project, the Ecology Center, and the	
City of Berkeley to determine feasibility of phytoextracting arsenic from abandoned	
railroad right-of-way.	
Urban Tilth Soil Building Team, Richmond, CA	2015-2019
Developed soil remediation plan for 4-acre new urban farm in collaboration with Urban	
Tilth staff and Joshua Arnold. Trained 5 high school interns to sample soil. Supported	
soil carbon sequestration through cover crop use.	
Black Butte Community Farm Manager, Weed, CA	2009-2013
Started and managed a community farm as part of a brownfield remediation project.	

Community Outreach Presentations

- **4. Matzen, S.** and **R. Bennaton.** 2021. Safer soils for urban food growers. UC Agriculture and Natural Resources webinar. July 15, 2021. Virtual.
- **3. Matzen, S.** 2017. Dealing with urban soil contamination. Urban Agroecology Short Course, June 21, 2017, UC Berkeley.
- **2. Arnold, J.** and **S. Matzen.** 2016. Can training programs help urban farmers deal with soil contamination? Workshop. Sustainable Agriculture Education Association Annual Meeting, July 29-31, 2016, Santa Cruz, CA.
- **1. Arnold, J.** and **S. Matzen.** 2015 and 2016. Ecologically based soil fertility and contamination management. Urban Agroecology Short Course, June 24, 2015 and June 21, 2016, UC Berkeley.